HASSAN FOREST DIVISION.

Detailed Notification dated 4th October 1953.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting grazing fees on cattle passing through Maranahalli and Bisle Toll-gate during 1953-54 (up to 31st March 1954) and also on cattle moving through Bisle and Kulagunda for the ensuing Subramanya Jatra through Kemphole and Bisale State Forest between October and December 1953, will be sold by public auction on 22nd October 1953 at 2 P.M. by the District Forest Officer, Hassan or any other officer deputed by him at the Travellers' Bungalow, Saklespur, subject to the following conditions :—

(1) Each bidder should deposit Rs. 50 (Rupees fifty) as earnest money with the sale conducting officer before he is permitted to bid which in the case of unsuccessful bidders, will be returned to them.

(2) The highest bidder should pay one-fourth of the sale purchase money at the close of the sale, less the initial deposit amount together with the Local, Special, Health and Education cesses and sales-tax at Re. 0-4-0 in all per rupee, on the entire sale amount, failing which the right will be resold forthwith at his risk forfeiting the amount already deposited.

(3) The balance of the sale amount should be paid within ten days from the date of sale, failing which the right will be re-sold at his risk but he shall not participate in any profit that may accrue. The deficit, if any, shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand.

(4) The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power to accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason for the same.

(5) The right-holders shall collect the grazing fees at the sanctioned rates as noted below for every head of cattle that passes out the Maranahalli and Bisle Toll-gates. Buffaloes—one anna per head, cows and bullocks—six pies per head, horses—one anna per head, sheep—three pies per head, calves—six months and under, are exempted from fee.

(6) The right-holder should make his own arrangements to get these tickets of one anna and six pies face value printed as per sample form noted below, and stock sufficient supply of these tickets ready at both the stations. He should further make his own arrangements for any temporary sheds that may be required for the use of his men.

(7) The right-holder shall, by himself or his agent, not levy, under any circumstances, rates other than those stipulated already. Any irregularity or complaint coming to notice shall render him liable to criminal prosecution besides forfeiting his contract forthwith.

(8) It will be the bounden duty of all cattle owners who move their cattle through the above toll-gates to obtain tickets before allowing their cattle to pass through, failing which they will be liable to criminal prosecution under the Forest Act or any other law in force.

N.B.—Government Officers moving on duty are exempted from this levy.

(9) The right-holder shall be bound to render satisfactory accounts to the Range Officer, Manjarabad, and to present his books and tickets for examination by any Government Officer whenever he is called upon to do so.

(10) The right-holder shall execute a bond on a duly stamped paper to abide by the foregoing conditions and deposit Rs. 50 in the Government Savings Bank as security.

(11) The District Forest Officer reserves the right of forfeiting the security amount either in whole or in parts for the breach of any of the foregoing conditions and his decisions will be final.

Form of Ticket.

1953-54
Buffalo ... One Anna
Contractor.

1953-54
Cow or Bullock ... Six Pies
Contractor.

1953-54
Horse ... One Anna
Contractor.

1953-54
Sheep ... Three Pies
Contractor.

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SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Brief Notification dated 16th September 1953.

AUCTION SALE OF SAWN TIMBER AND ROUND LOGS.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of sawn sizes and round logs in Government Saw Mills, Shimoga, and Government Timber Depot, Shimoga, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, or any other Gazetted Officer deputed by him between 9 A.M. and 12 NOON and 2 P.M. and 5 P.M. on each day on the 27th and 28th October 1953 respectively. If the sale is not concluded on the same day it will be continued from day to day at the same hour until concluded.

Name of Depot	Kind			C.ft.	Date of sale
Government Saw Mills, Shimoga.	Teak rafters and planks		...	3,000	Tuesday, 27th October 1953.
	Bite	,,	...	2,000	
	Honne		...	300	
	Nandi		...	1,500	
	Other kinds		...	8,000	
	Teak reepers	R.ft.	...	5,000	
	Bite	,, ,,	...	3,000	
	Nandi and Mathi	,,	...	3,000	
	Other kinds		...	5,000	
Government Timber Depot, Shimoga.	Teak logs		...	7,904	Wednesday, 28th October 1953.
	Bite	,,	...	13,114	
	Honne	,,	...	2,624	
	Mathi	,,	...	6,795	
	Yettiga	,,	...	8,163	
	Hunal	,,	...	4,563	
	Other kinds		...	9,854	
	Teak ballies	(No.)	...	4,279	
	Nandi logs	C.ft.	...	7,833	

N.B.—The quantities noted above are approximate.

SALE CONDITIONS.

1 The sale is subject to confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, as the case may be, who may at his discretion accept or reject any part of the sale without assigning any reasons therefor.

2 Each intending bidder must produce the solvency certificate from the Amildar of the concerned taluk and deposit Rs. 200 (Rs. 400 in the case of non-Mysoreans) with the sale conducting officer before the commencement of the sale and the deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned after the close of the sale.

3 Each bidder will be allowed to bid only to the extent of his solvency amount.

4 All other purchasers who do not produce solvency certificates, should inform the sale conducting officer beforehand, what cash they have and they will be permitted to bid to the extent of that amount only.

5 All successful bidders should pay the prescribed percentage value within the stipulated time along with the sales-tax as per sale rules failing which the timber purchased by them will be resold immediately and automatically after the period is over at the risk of the original purchaser.

6 Defaulters of the previous sales will not be permitted to bid.

7 Other conditions of the sale are as usual and can be had at the District Forest Office, Shimoga, on all working days.

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SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Revised Sale Notification dated 28th September 1953.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the auction sales of timber scheduled to be held on 1st October 1953 and 5th October 1953 in Sagar and Kumsi depots respectively as per this office notification, dated 8th September 1953, published on Page 1220, Part VI